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Tenders his professional services to the citizens of Waco and vicinity. Special attention paid to Obstetrics and Chronic Diseases.
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Have in connection again resumed the practice of the law in all its departments. ap18dw1

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(Opposite Avenue Hotel, Austin Texas.)
Polite attention and best accommodations in the city. april18

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DR. R. S. GARNER,
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Treats all diseases, and performs all Surgical Operations upon the Eye and Ear exclusively. Cases treated from all parts of the state. Satisfaction given in all cases. Office in the Sturges Building, East side of Public Square. feb18dw1

J. J. TAYLOR,
DENTIST.
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TERMS—CASH ON COMPLETION OF OPERATION. RATON CHARGES MODERATE.

WACO.

THE OLD COURT HOUSE
FOR SALE AT AUCTION!
In accordance with an order made at the April Term, 1874, of the County Court of Waco, Texas, I will proceed to sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the door of the old Court House, on MONDAY, MAY 27, 1874, at seven o'clock A. M. The purchaser will be required to give note, with two approved sureties, due January 1, 1875, bearing 10 percent interest per annum from date, and to remove the building with trucks by the date of sale.
E. P. MANSLEY,
Residing Justice, McLennan County,
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New Photographic Gallery.
Second story, Blawie Building
AUSTIN AVENUE,
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J. J. MULLEN, Artist.
respectfully announces that with a full stock of new material, new and improved instruments, and a perfect daylight, he is prepared to take photographs with dispatch, in great variety, and in the highest style of the art. The ladies, especially, are invited to call. may18dw1

KELLEY'S FOUNDRY.
C. A. KELLEY, Proprietor,
JEFFERSON, TEXAS.
SUPPLY DEPOT, LUMBER, BUILDING, WACO, TEXAS.
MANUFACTURER OF
COOKING AND BAKING STOVES,
CAST TURNING PLOWS,
SHOVELS AND SCOUTERS, WASH-RETTLES, COUNTRY HOLLOW-WARE,
DOG IRONS, ETC.
Inducements offered to the trade. Send for Price List.
County Dealers and the Trade Generally supplied on the most favorable terms. oct2

W. A. FORT, GEO. W. JACKSON,
FORT & JACKSON,
BANKERS
and Dealers in
Foreign & Domestic Exchange
WACO, TEXAS.
Correspondents—Windsor, Lander & Co.—New York.
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B. ALEXANDER & BRO.,
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Dry Good and Clothing,
HATS, BOOTS AND SHOES, NOTIONS, GENTLEMEN'S FURNISHING GOODS,
POCKET CUTLERY, LADIES' SADDLES, CROCKERY, ETC., ETC.
Our Motto is Quick Service and a Good Price given on a call at our new store, opposite the Heathery House.
WACO, TEXAS.
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R. M. BONNER & CO.,
ELM STREET, EAST WACO,
(At the old stand of Estes, Randleman & Maytum.
Wholesale and Retail Grocers
Highest market prices paid for
COTTON, WOOL AND HIDES.
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WACO MARBLE AND STONE WORKS.
(ITALIAN AND AMERICAN MARBLE).
BLESS, TOMESTONES AND MONUMENTS OF HAND AND MADE TO ORDER.
Designs furnished free.
TABLETS, FUNERAL MARKERS AND MANTLES.
Orders from the country attended to promptly.
My yard is now supplied with the best rock in Texas, guaranteed to withstand any climate.
W. M. SIMPSON,
PROPRIETOR.

GET YOUR MEAT
At the City Market.
I will keep the best Beef, and take all orders to please ALL MY CUSTOMERS.
I will have Mutton on Wednesday, and Pork on Saturday.
3119D Waco
O. G. DAVEN, PROPRIETOR

ICE!! ICE!! ICE!!
100,000 POUNDS CONSTANTLY ON HAND.
Delivery Free to City Customers.
Orders from the Country and neighboring towns promptly filled, upon the most satisfactory terms.
MUHL & SEARS,
Proprietors, Ice Factory, Waco, Texas.
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5,000 FEET Seasoned Lumber.
J. F. SEDWICK,
(Successor to Sedwick & Elliott.)
DEALERS IN
Lumber, Shingles, Saws, Doors, Blinds, Etc., Etc.
YARD OPPOSITE KELLEY'S, ROTAN & CO.,
East, Waco.
The largest and most complete assortment of Lumber in the interior. feb18dw1

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H. SCHERFFIUS,
Machinery
—AND—
AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS
(Main Street, next door to City Bank.)
Houston, Texas.
AGENT FOR
Cotton Steam Engines and Saw Mills.
Patent Improvements on the
Shaffer's Iron Saw Cotton Press.
American Iron Saw Cotton Press.
Saw on Horse Power.
Buckeye Mowers and Reapers.
Coleman's Corn and Wheat Mills.
Sawmill and Water Mill.
J. B. & Co's Wood Working Machinery.
David & Kiesel's Fire and Bangler Proof Safe.
Best Builder's Milling.
Avery's Steel and Cast Plows, Sweepers, Cultivators, Etc.
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HUTCHINS HOUSE.
N. P. TURNER, Proprietor
DOUGLASS, TEXAS.
Located in the center of Business.
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WATCHMAKER AND JEWELER
11 Main Street, Van Alstyne's Building,
HOUSTON, TEXAS.
W. J. HUTCHINS,
Cotton Factor
ART
Commission Merchant,
HOUSTON, TEXAS.
Cotton consigned to me at Houston or Galveston will meet with prompt attention.
A full stock of Dyeing and Dyeing constantly on hand.
A. MCGOWEN,
Iron and Brass Foundry
—AND—
Machine Shop.
Manufacturers of Steam Engines and Boilers and all kind of Castings.
AT CENTRAL RAILROAD DEPOT,
HOUSTON, TEXAS.
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W. D. CLEVELAND,
Wholesale Groceries
AND
COMMISSION MERCHANT,
31 MAIN STREET,
HOUSTON, TEXAS.
Liberal advances made on Cotton, Hides and Country Produce.
Agent for Sugar Plantations and sells at Lowest Orleans prices.
Sole Agents, Tobacco and Cigars at Parlor Prices, freight and ad. Special attention given to sale and shipment of cotton and handling on commission.
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FAIRBANKS' SCALES
AND
Cotton Bales, Hay Scales, Cattle Scales
Jockey and Platform Scales of all descriptions and sizes. Guaranteed correct and reliable.
Freemason's Steel Mills,
For grinding Corn, Coffee, Spices and Drugs
MILES' ALARM MONEY DRAWER
AND
Shrivers Letter Copying Press
For sale at New York prices, by
W. B. BOWMAN,
53 Camp Street, New Orleans.
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BARBEROUS.
There are many good Barbers on paper but the true test is actual ability in the cut.
FRANK GROUND,
OF THE
McLELLAND HOUSE BARBER SHOP.
Relies solely upon his work and the satisfaction of his patrons, and defies competition in his profession. If any one doubts his ability, he invites them around, as that the matter can be settled by actual demonstration.
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B. C. DRURY, M. D.,
Respectfully tenders his Professional Services to the citizens of Waco and vicinity.
OFFICE—Bryley's Drug Store; residence, at Nicholas Johnson's, rear of Marshall & Kelly's, on Franklin Street.
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HOME-MADE CANDY,
OF ALL THE BEST VARIETIES, FRESH AND PURE, EVERY DAY.
WM. BENNETT, Manufacturer,
Next W. T. Robinson's fronting the Square.
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SUMMER AND VACATION SCHOOL FOR
Girls and Boys, will commence MONDAY, May 11, 1874, in the box house (Building) of Baptist Church. Tuition, \$2.50 to \$4.00 per month.
G. N. STIVERS,
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MCLELLAND HOTEL.
WACO, TEXAS.
This FIRST CLASS HOTEL is now opened at the accumulation of the transient population at the depot on the arrival.
CITY LAUNDRY,
At the Bath House, is now open and ready to receive work and have it done in a superior manner and style. 2400 Elm and Cold Water at all hours.
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JACKSON & BROWN,
Fire Insurance Agents.
WACO, TEXAS.
REPRESENTING THE FOLLOWING RELIABLE FIRE COMPANIES:
Texas Banknote and Insurance Co., Galveston, Tex.
American Co. Ins. Co., Brooklyn, N. Y.
Continental Mutual, New Orleans.
West Texas Fire and Marine, San Antonio, Tex.
and Baltimore, Richmond, Va.
Richmond Marine and Insurance Co., Richmond, Va.
Office at Fort & Jackson's Bank, Waco, Texas.
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PIANOS
IN

WACO
CHEAPER THAN IN
NEW YORK.
Direct Agent of
HALLETT, DAVIS & CO.,
Of Boston, whose Pianos will bear the comparison of any other in the world.
Result—well nigh universal ruin, now that we are fairly launched forth on a new voyage, let us consider some of the dead weights we still carry, and the best means of throwing them overboard, so as to have better sailing.
1st. The credit system. This requires but a few words, too plain and vital in its significance not to be readily understood. Let the credit system be put out of the way so finally that it will never show its head again, and the farmers have achieved their independence.
2d. The mercantile system. What are you going to do with the merchants? exterminate them? No subordinate them? Yes. Like railroads, they are very good servants, but bad masters. But says one, the country is generally in debt to them, and we must get out with them, before we can get clear of them. You will never get out of debt with them while you remain in their hands. What are you going to do then? A very serious question, and the one I took up to write about. The whole coast country is in debt, and this debt must be paid. All eyes are now turned toward the growing cotton crop; the merchant to swallow it up, anaconda fashion, and leave the farmer just enough to reproduce another one. The farmer with fear and trembling, lest after a year of privations and trial, his hard earnings will barely suffice to make both ends meet, now solve this problem, so as to do justice to both sides, and I think you have untied the gordian knot, without cutting. Let the merchant have his money by all means, aye, heavy interest and all, Shylock style, but not the cotton. Give him his pound of flesh but not a drop of blood; this was not in the bond. Let the farmer sell his crop, not the merchant. I venture the assertion, this one idea alone, would save the farmer, in the way of diminished expenses and increased profits, enough to pay off the entire debt. Let us make a few figures, if you please. Four hundred thousand bales passed through Galveston last winter. Say \$2.50 per bale paid to Galveston, unnecessary handling (a very low estimate) and you took up one million dollars from the farmers. Say \$5.00 per bale (near the mark), and you have two million dollars paid to the merchant. Again, Mr. Simpson's bill (about which the Galveston News set up such a senseless howling) saves to the farmers \$150 to the bale, footing up six hundred thousand dollars from the farmers—a rather expensive offering agriculture was making to commerce. Pass your cotton direct to the manufacturers, or else wait until he sends his agent to you; boy on the same rule, whole sale, at manufacturers prices; this will save to the farmer 25 to 50 percent, buying and selling. Require of the merchant to work to this rule, or work him out and work in yourselves.
Now, that you have the power, and General Grant's cars are open to listen, you have a heavy score to settle with the general government. You pay thirty per cent. discriminating duties on everything you consume. Say to the government, take off this burden, nominally to pay off the public debt, practically to enrich a countless army of office holders; take off these oppressive burdens upon agriculture; let the farmer, west and south, look up once more, and soon we will hear nothing more of famine, and paucity, with the long train of evils engendered by the opposite policy.
In Governor Coke you have the best Governor that Texas ever had. Not entirely so with the present Legislature. Very good in their way; but that way not the very best.
For many lawyers, too many by far, open wide your ranks, and take in the over crowded trades and professions into your fields. Give a strong help to the good temperance

LETTER FROM CAMILLA.
CAMILLA, TEX., May 21, 1874.
Ed. Examiner:
I hear the question frequently asked, both by farmers and merchants: "how is the farmer to do without the merchant, or how are you going to get rid of him?" The answer is ascertained as the question. You have got to do it, and if I don't quite explain the *modus operandi* of it, I trust it will be done by someone else. I confess to being somewhat in the radical vein, not in a political sense, but in a broad catholic one, I trust. I recognize the broad fact that we are, at last, fairly launched out on a new era. Not only slavery, but everything connected with it, good or bad, is effete. Until very recently the farmers in lower Texas, labored under the anomalous condition of slavery turned loose, with many of the old habits and burdens of slavery to carry.
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reform movement, overthrow the great monster evil, defying the church and State, and you have accomplished the greatest good of this age. You need woman's help, wisely you have it in your councils. Lawyers and politicians will never work out the great reforms you want, the nation wants, God and civilization demands. With woman's help it will be done.
Finally develop the *morale* at home among yourselves. Refined, moral, honest, frugal, wise, and farming is what God intended it to be, the first, the best and almost the only occupation of man. "So mote it be."
Edwin John,
Chaplain Grange 63.
OUR HOUSTON CORRESPONDENT.
Texas State Fair.
Houston, May 24.
To-day everything has been life and activity, exhibitors taking down, packing and clearing the grounds of their various goods and machinery. The largest display by any one house or individual that has been made, was by
WALSH, DEWEY & CO.,
of Huntsville, who display wagons, carriages, buggies of four different sizes and patents, agricultural implements, from a hoe handle to the largest sized plows, wheelbarrows, shovels, spades, cotton and corn planters, furniture of all grades, shapes and styles, including some of the most elaborate and costly outfits in this line ever before exhibited in Texas. Their display of boots, shoes, and ready made clothing, all of Texas manufacture, out of Texas material, was complete to the fullest extent. Of this display I shall have occasion to speak again, when I shall have visited their factory in Huntsville, for surely the establishment that can turn out such goods and wares as they display, needs looking after by one whose duty it is to hunt up and point out the place of all places for Patrons to deal.
Combined plow, planter and cultivator, exhibited by John Urban, of Belton, Bell county, deserves more than a mention from me, and to do so will state that in my belief, taking in consideration soil and all, that this is the machine which ought to have taken the gold medal for the best agricultural improvement made in the last twelve months anywhere. In it we have first a gang plow, sulky cultivator, a corn and cotton planter that will plant two rows. The adaptiveness and adjustability of this machine to every and all agricultural cultivating, prompts and recommends itself to any one in search of a truly valuable machine.
My attention has been attracted by a grand display of
ARTIFICIAL STONE,
and when I shall have examined further into it, as to the cost of its make, I shall report. As viewed now, I will say that if the patentee's pretensions and claims are correct, he has in his hands what will prove to be of more value to this State than any other invention on exhibition. Next to this I will here only note the Peters Patent Tanning Process, which performs the operation of tanning leather in from two to fifteen days. I propose to go slow on this, and therefore, must have more time to consider its merits, since I have been the victim of a new patent tanning process once in life, and don't calculate to contribute to victimizing others; but will say that I have seen leather tanned by this process, in four days' time, that excels any other leather on exhibition.
A fire broke out in the grounds, and came near reaching the lots, stables and inclosures, which was only prevented by the promptness of Col. Fish, with one of his small Fire Extinguishers, demonstrating by actual use, the value of these engines of protection. There are now several here on exhibition, and as I feel that every man who has a place of residence or business, should have one of them close by, I am giving some attention to them, and before closing my report shall be prepared to point out one, as worthy of every confidence—patronage of the Grange in particular.
THE LONE STAR
Cotton and Corn Planter on exhibition in Power Hall has attracted much attention, and according to my judgment very deservedly, and unless I greatly change my mind before leaving here, I shall write this machine down as the best for the two uses for which it is made, by Hitts & Pressly, Sweet Home, Lavaca county, Texas.
T. N.
Matlock, the negro who murdered an entire family near here some months since, will be hung on the 28th.